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SUBJECT: PLANNING FOR OTTAWA QUADRIPARTITE DINNER

REFS: (A) STATE 121828;(B) BONN 9102;(C)STATE 121448;
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1. REGARDING CANADIAN PROPOSAL THAT QUADRIPARTITE
MINISTERS GATHER WITH OTHER MINISTERS AT NATIONAL ARTS
CENTER PRIOR TO QUAD DINNER, THE FRENCH HAVE INFORMED
THE BONN GROUP THAT AS REQUESTED IN BONN GROUP THEY HAVE
ALREADY TOLD THE CANADIANS THAT THE FOUR MINISTER WOULD
NOT BE AVAILABLE FOR ANY CULTURAL EVENT ON JUNE 18. ALL
REPS THEN INDICATED GENERAL AGREEMENT THAT QUAD DINNER
WOULD BE ONLY EVENT SCHEDULED BY MINISTERS FOR EVENING
JUNE 18.

2. ALL REPS REPORTED AGREEMENT ON AGENDA SUBMITTED
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REFTEL D, AND IT WAS AGREED (AT UK URGING) TO SLIGHTLY

MODIFY IT BY INCLUDING ITEM C, "ACCESS" UNDER ITEM A,
"FEDERAL PRESENCE," AND TO REORDER THE ITEMS. AGENDA
THUS READS AS FOLLOWS:

(A) FEDERAL PRESENCE IN BERLIN; ACCESS TO/FROM BERLIN
(GENSCHER WILL LEAD OFF)

(B) CONSULTATIONS (SAUVAGNARGUES WILL OPEN DISCUSSION)

(C) FRG-GDR RELATIONS (GENSCHER)

(D) CSCE - GERMANY AND BERLIN ASPECTS (NOT YET DETERMINED
IF GENSCHER OR SAUVAGNARGUES WILL LEAD OFF)

(E) COMMUNIQUE (SAUVAGNARGUES)

US REP INFORMED OTHERS OF US ASSUMPTIONS (REFTEL C)
REGARDING THE AGENDA, WHICH WERE ACCEPTED WITH ONE
EXCEPTION. NONE OF THE OTHERS WISHED TO HAVE BERLIN AIR
DISCUSSED, AND FRG REP EMPHASIZED THAT BONN CONSIDERED
SUCH DISCUSSION PREMATURE PARTICULARLY SINCE FRG NOW IN
PROCESS OF FORMULATING REPLY TO US DEMARCHES ON SUBJECT.
FRENCH AND BRITISH REPS AGREED, INDICATING DISCUSSION
WOULD NOT SEEM TO BE VERY VALUABLE UNTIL FRG
HAS MADE RESPONSE TO US APPROACH.

3. UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM PARIS, FRENCH REP PROPOSED
A SHORT SENIOR LEVEL MEETING FOR PURPOSE OF FINAL CHECK
OF TEXTS INVOLVED IN QUAD DINNER DISCUSSIONS AND FOR
PRELIMINARY DISCUSSION OF CSCE AGENDA ITEM. OTHER REPS
INDICATED SUCH A MEETING COULD SERVE USEFUL PURPOSE AND
AGREED TO PASS PROPOSAL TO AUTHORITIES FOR CONSIDERATION.
ALL REPS RECOGNIZED POSSIBILITY OF SCHEDULING PROBLEMS
AND AGREED THIS QUESTION BEST LEFT TO AUTHORITIES AND TO
RESPONSIBLE OFFICIALS IN NATO TO WORK OUT IN EVENT
SENIOR LEVEL MEETING AGREED BY ALL FOURCAPITALS.
COMMENT: WE THINK SUCH A MEETING WOULD BE WORTHWHILE.

4. FRG HAS CONFIRMED LIST OF PARTICIPANTS AS REPORTED
REFTEL, WITH EXCEPTION OF KINKEL, WHO WILL NOT ATTEND.
HOWEVER, ASST. CHIEF OF THE OFFICE OF THE FONMIN,
LEWALTER, MAY POSSIBLY PARTICIPATE.
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